THEY HIT THE PIPE

ALARMING REPORTS OF THE OPIUM HABIT IN WICHITA.

By a Mystic Heathen Word the Victim is Admitted and for Two Bits He Cau Go into the Land of Fleeting Delights-Disreputable Women Indulge in the Debauchery of the Pipe Also-The Den is Located on Lawrence Avenue Within | as though he had been a long lost broth Half a Block of Douglas-It is Sending Bundreds to Ruin.

Right in the heart of Wichita, half a block from Douglas avenue, there is a formation had come from a correct heathen den that is doing more mischief whom half the persons whom all the contract of the persons whom half the persons whom he felt avenue. than all the joints in the city put to-

It is what is called an "Opium Joint"

and gives up all individually. He are such as the companies of the direction of getting another jag on without the police knowing it. A man of the world." This gentlemant of honor in every day-life will lie, steal and acceive to reach the pipe. One instance shows that a man addicted to a habit of this kind stole a coat from a friend, sold it for enough to get himself under the influence of the drug and when the juffuence of the drug and the list of the juffuence of the drug and drug the juffuence of the drug and drug the juffuence of the drug the juffuence of the drug and drug the juffuence of the drug and drug the juffuence of the juffuence of the drug the juffuence of the drug the juffuence of the juffuence of the juffuence of the juffuence of the juffuence thief. This is how it acts. There is no fight in an opium drunk, but a man loses all his self-respect if he continues

tives and triends. There are two brothsers, some of a popular woman, who are now confirmed opinion smokers and their secret. It practically exposed. The mother knows not of it yet, but when she does it will go through her heart. The Eagle learned that one prominent officer of the metropolitan police government goes there, but the position is such that it would not do you may be fearly such as a gambler he will insist that the bop be brought in on the Ten of Diamonds. This will be black looking monds. This will be black looking that one presented in the position is such that it would not do you make the process and their halfes should turn out the position is such that it would not do you make the process and their halfes should turn out the process and the process that all all process are the process and the process that all process the process that all process the process that and one of the world, and one of the world, and one of the greatest that and the process that and one of the greatest that and one of the grea not do to expose him on mere report lies stuff which very much resembles sortial a certain woman here in Whehlis gram molasses and occupies about as that he did patrenish the John and hit the pipe and solicited her to do the pake on the card as a common poker chip. The attendant will then sake the subject to recline on the raised turn asked him why he did not supturn, asked him why he did not suppress such a great evil and he replied that there was no law for it, and asked his called 'in book" over the ordinate of the suppression of the suppression of the raised that there was no law for it, and asked 'in book' over the ordinate of the suppression of the raised that there was no law for it, and asked that there was no law for it, and asked that the raised that the raised

A reporter for the Engle went to the using the needle they carefully wipe place last night, prefending to be a out the bowl with the "sucy pow" sector after wisdom and delight, and which is nothing more than a small the following is his story: chamols skin.

On entering the door, being the sec- If fields become hard up for a

allel with William and Douglas avenue—No.

121-in front of which is a sign extending across the sidewalk, on which is printed "Chinese Laundry," the reporter was met by a woman wearing a sky-blue frock, cut after the pattern of twenty years ago, with extreme low cut what can I do for you." was the question asked of the reporter.

The wedler of the pipe bowl and get out a small ball or pill similar to the head in a tobacco pipe which they will treasure till the next smoke is necessary. This is called "in the "and is very strong.

After a headinger has smoked twenty or their pills he is unable to cat or drink anything till the effect is gone. Should be do so it will cause vomiting but with no hauseauting effects.

question asked of the reporter.

Immediately the reporter put on an expression resembling a dying calf in the last scares of being locoed and with

his hand on his head said:
"Oh, dear, where is John? My head has been killing me for almost three weeks," which was a fact, though the expression given would make it far more serious, sequence there is quarreling going on from those who are impatient to begin the preparation, proportion and process used in its scraped with a steel instrument which goes by the name of "inche gou."

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reporter, with renewed energy, while he almost forgot the expression he had as-

sumed.
"No, I don't try it; that is, not often "No, I don't try it; that is, not often. But Lee does, and hundreds of others who come for treatment. It is very pleasant and costs but little. But you had better talk with Lee." And with this she called aloud: "Lee! Lee! come here. There is a gentleman that wants to see you and do business."

With this Lee came out of a side room a little to the rear and on the north side of the room. He was in a deep stupor and advanced to the reporter with a

and advanced to the reporter with a The reporter grabbed him by the hand

er and told him he was dying to hit the "Howdee, youee knowee?" said the

whom he felt assured had been hitting

the pipe.
"Comee byce mee," said the proprietor, It is what is called an "Opium Joint" leading the way to the den, where the crs and importers at Galveston, Texas. and the police know it is there, and if fumes of the smoke could be inhaled. tot the whole outilt should be fired and the who

place has been in operation for some lens.

Lee jumped upon the table, folded up when physicians who went to visit. With Amberson Gray's boy, who is very tack with appendicties, up stairs over the built and particular the place it seems there is a flue going from the adleged laundry up through the room in question and it opens through the room in question and it opens through a stove pipe hole into the room where the boy is sick.

The number of young people who patronize the place is alarming and it is fine that somebody should call a half on this denoralizing influence.

It does not make much difference who runs an optum joint, so far as the damnation it breads is concerned, but it does not help the establishment by being operated and managed by a beathen Chinese, as this one is, aided by one of American shrift, parentage and color.

Very few of the good people know the extent of the vice of optum smoking, a pipe is filled and the victim squast flows the extent of the vice of optum smoking. A pipe is filled and the victim squast flows the puts the stem in his mouth and traws in the poiss. Devery puff is a "Four bitees" was the answer, which if are the bound in the potential state of the stem in his mouth and traws in the poisson. Every puff is a "Four bitees" was the answer, which is not placed a lighted match of the every few of the good people know the extent of the vice of optim smoking.

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He will then heat the needle, or as it is called "in hock" over the optum The man who runs the place is a comp which has no chimney and throws out an intense heat as nothing but woman.

with of the alley running pur-will take the needle and William and Douglas ave-dig in the bottom of the pipe bowl and

"Oh, I see" said the woman, "you mean Lee. It will stop the headache every time and keep it stopped, too."
"Have you ever tried it" asked the person is gone to happiness complete. When some twenty-five pills or more are consumed they are then complete ly under the influence and are drunk as lords. It is then when they will give you the "pipe talk" and woo betide the person who dures to contradict the opjerson with the content and the op-ium drunkard. The other night the re-porter heard two "indians" falking after having had a sufficiency of hop. One said he owned a race horse which won the Brooklyn handicap last year in one minute. The other, nothing New Year's day which weighed seven

ty-five pounds and he ate it. A few days ago a young fellow who is a clerk, went to one of the prominent hotels here when well loaded and start ed to write to his brother who lives to St. Louis in the following lunguage "Dear brother, I have made a ten-strike today, I now ewn the Sedgwick block and seven of the best farms in Sedgwick county." Before he had finished his letter the hop booze had begun to wear off and winding up his letter he said, "tell Pa to send me a V to pay my room rent and board."

In the far east and west these dens (Continued on Third Page.)

IT IS TAKEN BY BUSINESS MAN OF GALVESTON.

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terday who were found at the Carey ons by an Eagle reporter was W. A. White who represents the well known firm of Fordtran, Hutchings & Co., exportbeing engaged in conversation he said:

when it is operated under their noses.

Why people are afraid to expose this suffit is an incomprehensible mystery and an unpardonable official crime. The place has been in operation for some lime, but its character was discovered by some physicians who went to visit.

Lee jumped upon the table, folded up in Kansas, and for that purpose I have

A pipe is filled and the victim squares flow beside it or lies on a rug or couch. He puts the stem in his mouth and draws in the poison. Every puff is a fairy dream and in a few minutes he is in the land of delight. All the pleasing smoke. He sees fair women in all fantastic forms dancing in the vapor poison that clouds and, entirely entirely of the mad whirl of Coney Island beach one moment and the next he basks in the gaiety of a Paris theatre or is pilling up rollions at the tables of Monte Carlo. In all stages of the development of the isg he imagines himself rolling in wealth, compared to which the gold of Crossos was but a miserly pittance. When the jag is complete and begins to the round of the form of the development in the round of the form of the development of the round of the form of the development of the specific of the form of the development of the form of the development of the form of the development of the specific of the form of the development of the specific of the form of the development of the form of the development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of the follow has been development of the specific of t

who is the proprietor will answer yes, and continue be will, until he is an object to be pitied and despited—a wander, a sheak and a vagabond. This is the condition that oplum smoking leads to the room and to get the only of the condition that oplum smoking leads to the first the condition that oplum smoking leads to the condition that oplum smoking leads.

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VIEW OF WICHITA Sir Knight for a little snow or inclemency of the weather. They knew what was meant when it was unnounced that the Maccoabees would hold a ban-Knights and by the time the gavel fell

their friends. The banquet was given in honor of Shipping Point for Western Grain, and the new officers who were installed by as His Firm is Not Only Engaged in State Commander C. V. Frigell, who in of the order installed the following

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Record keeper-J. L. Leland. Chapinin-J. F. Milhaupt, Sergeant-Harry Frizell. Master-at-arms-John Ross. First guard-C. W. Ross. Second Guard-T. H. Barley. Sentinel—J. F. Stafford. Picket—Frank Davis.

were all taken from the Holy Bible. When the installation was over Dr. Winters was called upon for an address and made one of his happlest speeches

hat it of this kind stole a coat from a friend, sold it for enough to get himself under the influence of the drug and when the jag wore off he came sicaling back and acknowledged himself to be a thef. This is how it acts. There is no fight in an opium drunk, but a man and take you hack to the room and any time carries when it and the port.

Chastley Chung. He answered yes, and the port.

To gain admintance to any hop joint to get himself to be a delicated to any hop joint to get and the port.

Thus you see that Galveston is altered to say hop joint to get any the port.

This is how it acts. There is no fight in an opium drunk, but a man and take you have to say is all the surplus grain of Kansas, and to questions so the port.

Savvy inchaqua John." The celestial in return for the grain we desire to delicate so the season, and to questions as to whether or not the repast was enjoyed, would be to give it out that the first with but little handling the way and the port.

of prostantes of the lowest order among its patrons. They revel in the drug and liberal to see them in ar, any and horror as the pleature dres—vanish and are succeeded by the makes and terments of the solvering up process. If it continues are some young men thin as and the ment patronised by other women and many a moderally heart will feel an ache and pain that it does not now comprehend.

At present some very swell young men are patrons of the dive and it is only a question of a few months until they will guestion of a few months are about one and wife. There are about one that they are a bound one firm have interests at both places.

THEX GIVE A BANQUENT

Keights of Galveston should be covered that they are as the out conserved in the many and wife. N. W. M. M. Held, W. H. Keich and wife. Mrs. A Hall, Miss Clauda with the rever head they had w

the hundred to join in the hanquet given by the Knights of given by their order in the beautiful thall eccupying the entire killed floor of the building at the corner of Douglas and Topeka avenues. What cared a

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quet, and they determined to be there.

The same was the case with the ladies and they readily accompanied the P.E COUNTER. P.E COUNTER.

> County Commissioners Make Selections for the Various Local Offices-Ex-Chief of Police Mussey Gets the Berth of Night Watchman at the County Building and His Predecessor is Transferred to the Poor Farm-County Physicians Not Ap pointed Yet and There is an Active Feeling for the Place-List of New Men.

Monday was Populist day, but turn about is fair play, and yesterday the Republicans had their inning. There was a new deal at the court

house and eight Republicans, good and true, were installed into office. To be sure the offices are not very fat, but they give bread to an honest man in an honest way, and that counts for a great deal when one is confronted with the problem of existence.

The commissioners did the electing this time and they appear to have done their work highly satisfactory.

Frank J. Ford was appointed assistobject and purposes of the organization ant county clerk. This is an office that showing that it was beneficial and upant county clerk. This is an office that size and the amount of business transneted, for over a period of a dozen years. Frank has been in the place for two years and he is all right. He minds his own business as well as that of the county, and that is a virtue of no small

importance.
W. W. Sweet was appointed custodian
W. W. Sweet is an old soldier and as good a man as could

building ex-Chief of Police Park Massey was appointed. It is entirely unneces-sary to say that Park will fill the bill to a 1.y. He is now beyond the power of foreign intermeddlers and subject only to the Republican authority that recog-nizes merit more than they do a politi-

Past Sir Knight Commander—K. F.
Purdy.

Sir Knight Commander—C. V. Frizell
Sir Knight Lieutenant Commander—
W. C. Palmer.

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janitor, from having held that position at the city building for two years.

The superintendent of the poor farm is George W. Noyes, who was transferred to his new position from night watchman. He will look after the interests both of the county and the poor with an eagle eye.

The last appointment made was that of J. E. Potts to be engineer of the county jail. Uncle Jimmy is the sait of the earth. He is the king of his sphere and in forty years from yesterday a generation of county commissioners now in their swaddling clothes will be now in their swaddling clothes will be re-appointing him, if he lives and every-body hopes he will.

The appointments were made in the mously. Mr. Wilson voting age with the

The great question now is, who will be county physician? That question was to have been settled yesterday, but there is quite a sharp contest for the place and the comp ne to study the subject more thoroughly.

HE WAS POUNDED THOROUGHLY Rev. Bruc - Griffith Received Bind Treat-

ment From His Congregation, Rev. Bruce Griffith, pastor of the Reformed church, was completely capturformed church, was completely captur-ed last night, and as he was completely surprised by an one-sught made upon him, he quietly sufernised, and turning to his wife said "What can not be pre-vented must be endured," and the hap-py couple gave up the quiet evening and their house to the strangers who came upon them without warning. He could not get mad, although disturbed, for be beheld in those who had tramped in snow upon his new carpet, that they

expressed if very mildly, and when they

left at a late hour it was with a God bless you all from the pastor and his young wife. Will Bolton of Woodward, O. T., and his sister, Miss Blesse, were in the city last night en route to Florida where they go with the excusion of the National Editorial association. They will be there until January 24, at which time they will leave for New York and take in the sights of the metropolis and other

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